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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Adrian Kiermasz for : POLISHING PAD CONDITIONING AND POLISHING LIQUID DISPERSAL SYSTEM. Enclosed are:

- ☒ 5 sheet(s) of drawings, 26 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : \_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Declaration.
- ☒ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : Lam Research Corporation.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_.

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Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	35-20	15
Indep. Claims	4-3	1
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

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Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 385
x\$9=	\$
x\$43=	\$
+\$145=	\$
Total	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$770.00
15 x\$18=	\$270.00
1 x\$86=	\$ 86.00
+\$290=	\$
Total	\$1126.00

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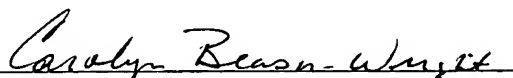
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